



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of : **Confirmation No. 7504**  
Zdravko PALUNCIC : Attorney Docket No. 2005\_0204A  
Serial No. 10/530,652 : Group Art Unit 3679  
Filed April 7, 2005 : Examiner David Bochna  
CONNECTING DEVICE FOR A PIPE OR : **Mail Stop AMENDMENT**  
SIMILAR

**AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Responsive the Office Action mailed June 6, 2007, the time for responding thereto being extended for (1) month in accordance with a Petition for Extension submitted herewith, please amend the above-identified application as follows: